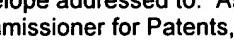




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Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to file a Notice of Appeal in response to the Final Office mailed on November 25, 1997.

A check in the amount of \$630.00 is enclosed, \$475.00 of which covers the fee for the three-month extension of time.

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